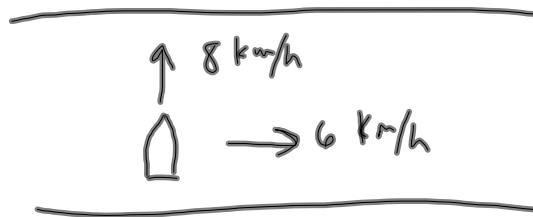


#38:



a)



$$\vec{V} = 10 \text{ km/h at } 53.1^\circ \text{ N of E}$$

$$V^2 = (6 \text{ km/h})^2 + (8 \text{ km/h})^2$$

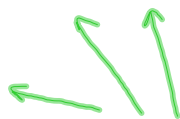
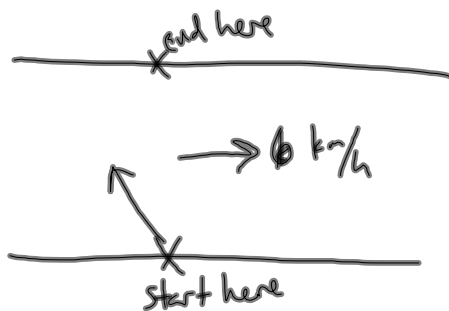
$$V = 10 \text{ km/h}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{8 \text{ km/h}}{6 \text{ km/h}}$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{8 \text{ km/h}}{6 \text{ km/h}} \right)$$

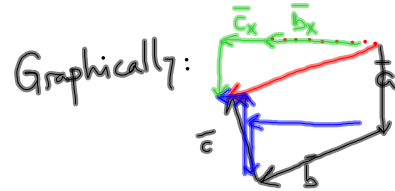
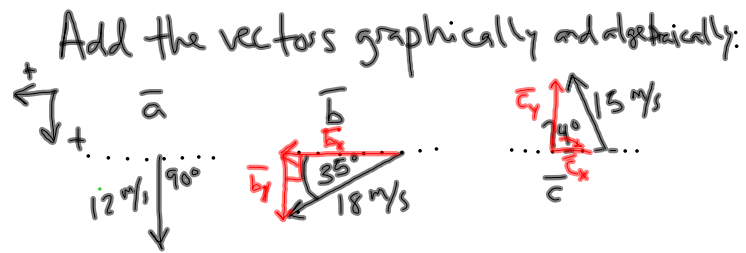
$$= 53.1^\circ$$

b)



- all must have
- 6 km/h as their x-component
- this gives many different combinations

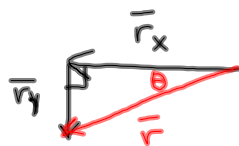
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Algebraically:

$$\begin{aligned}
 a_x &= 0 \\
 b_x &= (18 \text{ m/s}) \cos(35^\circ) = 14.74 \text{ m/s} \\
 + c_x &= (15 \text{ m/s}) \cos(74^\circ) = 4.13 \text{ m/s} \\
 \hline
 r_x &= 18.87 \text{ m/s}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 a_y &= 12 \text{ m/s} \\
 b_y &= (18 \text{ m/s}) \sin(35^\circ) = 10.32 \text{ m/s} \\
 + c_y &= (15 \text{ m/s}) \sin(74^\circ) = -14.41 \text{ m/s} \\
 \hline
 r_y &= 7.91 \text{ m/s}
 \end{aligned}$$



$$r^2 = r_x^2 + r_y^2$$

$$r = 20.4 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{r_y}{r_x}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \theta &= \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{r_y}{r_x} \right) \\
 &= 22.8^\circ
 \end{aligned}$$

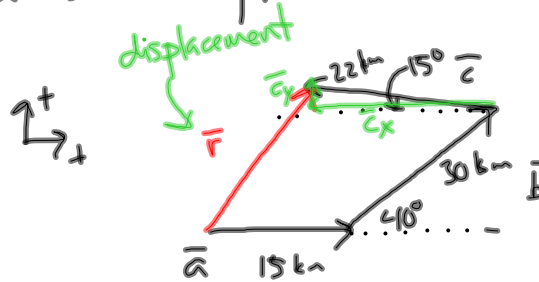
$$\vec{r} = 20.4 \text{ m/s} @ 22.8^\circ \text{ S of W}$$

## Displacement v. Distance:

- Definitions: (change in)
  - Displacement: how far away an object is from where it started
    - \* Vector
  - Distance: total amount that an object traveled
    - \* Scalar
    - calculate by adding up magnitudes of all displacement vectors

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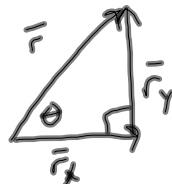
A car travels 15 km to the east, turns and travels 30 km at an angle of  $40^\circ$  north of east, and then travels 22 km at an angle of  $15^\circ$  north of west. Find the car's distance and resultant displacement.



$$\begin{aligned} \text{distance} &= 15 \text{ km} + 30 \text{ km} + 22 \text{ km} \\ &= 67 \text{ km} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a_x &= 15 \text{ km} \\ b_x &= (30 \text{ km}) \cos(40^\circ) = 22.98 \text{ km} \\ + c_x &= -(22 \text{ km}) \cos(15^\circ) = -21.25 \text{ km} \\ \hline r_x &= 16.73 \text{ km} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a_y &= 0 \\ b_y &= (30 \text{ km}) \sin(40^\circ) = 19.28 \text{ km} \\ + c_y &= (22 \text{ km}) \sin(15^\circ) = 5.69 \text{ km} \\ \hline r_y &= 24.97 \text{ km} \end{aligned}$$



$$\bar{r} = 30.04 \text{ km} @ 56.8^\circ \text{ N of E}$$